

NEW ABSTRACT

Please replace the abstract beginning at page 17, line 2 with the following new abstract:

A system for providing a command stream that includes a controller chip is disclosed. The controller chip includes an engine operative to manage a memory. The engine includes an interface. A storage element is coupled to the engine and the storage element is accessible by a central processing unit (CPU) through the engine. The engine receives commands from the CPU via the interface, manages the storage element via the interface and writes the commands into the memory. The engine incorporates the storage element as part of the memory.